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In re Application of:

Benjamin SPENSER, et al.

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For: **IMPLANTABLE PROSTHETIC VALVE**

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Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

**PETITION TO REVIVE UNINTENTIONALLY ABANDONED APPLICATION
UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.137(b)**

SIR:

Applicants hereby petition to revive the above application under 37 C.F.R. § 1.137(b). It is submitted that the abandonment of this application was inadvertent and that the entire delay from the original due date to the filing hereof was unintentional. A Notice To File Missing Parts, a copy of which is enclosed, is being filed concurrently herewith to continue prosecution of this application after it has been revived.

A check for \$640.00 for the Petition fee is enclosed.

Revival of the above-referenced application pursuant to the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.137(b) is respectfully requested.

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